

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Neerinx, Peter E.

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For: ASSEMBLY OF BELLOWS AND
CO-ACTING PART, PUMP AND
METHOD FOR THE USE THEREOF

Confirmation Number: 3209

Examiner: Nichols II, Robert K.

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Sir:

In response to the Final Official Action dated July 20, 2009 ("Action"), Applicant submits the following Request for Continued Examination ("RCE"). Applicant is also submitting a fee for a one-month extension of time to respond and hereby petitions the Office to accept the one-month extension:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.